

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in this application.

1. – 4. (Cancelled)

5. (Original) A food product for human consumption, wherein the food product comprises flour obtained from *Phleum* spp. seeds.

6. (Previously Amended) The food product of claim 5, wherein the food product is gluten-free.

7. (Previously Amended) The food product of claim 5, wherein the food product is selected from the group consisting of pancakes, noodles, bread, muffins, buns, biscuits, cookies, pastries, cupcakes, doughnuts, pretzels, crackers, chips, cakes, stews, soups, dressings, beverages, stuffing, pizza dough, cereals, candies and snack foods.

8. (Previously Amended) The food product of claim 7, wherein the seeds are obtained from *Phleum pratense* L.

9. (Cancelled)

10. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A method of producing food and beverage products for human consumption, wherein the method comprises obtaining seed from ~~Timothy grass~~ (~~*Phleum pratense* L.~~) spp.; processing the seed into food-grade flour, ~~starch, malt, and cereal-based products~~; and utilizing the flour, ~~starch, malt and cereal-based products~~ to produce food and beverage products, ~~wherein the food and beverage products are essentially devoid of gluten.~~

11. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A method of making risen bread products, said method comprising producing flour from the seeds of *Phleum* spp. ~~Timothy grass~~ and producing

risen bread products using the flour, wherein the risen bread products are essentially devoid of gluten.

12. (Withdrawn) The risen bread products produced by the method of claim 11.

13. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A method of making flatbread products, said method comprising producing flour from the seeds of Phleum spp. ~~Timothy grass~~ and producing risen bread products using the flour, wherein the flatbread products are essentially devoid of gluten.

14. (Withdrawn) The flatbread products produced by the method of claim 13.

15. – 19. (Cancelled)

20. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A method of making a food product, said method comprising producing the food product using flour obtained from seeds of Phleum spp. ~~Timothy grass~~ combined with gum, wherein the food product is essentially devoid of gluten.

21. (Withdrawn) The food product produced by the method of claim 20.

22. (Withdrawn, Previously Amended) The food product of claim 21, wherein the gum is a xanthan or guar gum.

23. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A method of making fermented breads or fermented bread products, said method comprising producing flour from the seeds of Phleum spp. ~~Timothy grass~~ and producing the fermented breads or fermented bread products using the flour, wherein the fermented breads or fermented bread products are essentially devoid of gluten.

24. (Withdrawn) The fermented breads or fermented bread products produced by the method of claim 23.

25. (New) The method of claim 10, wherein the food and beverage products are essentially devoid of gluten.

26. (New) The method of claim 10, 11, 13, 20 or 23, wherein the *Phleum* spp. is *Phleum pratense* L.